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Public Hearing Tuesday On New School Budget; Increase of 11,935 Seen

A preliminary budget, calling for an increase of \$11,935 over last year, will be presented by the Sierra Madre School Board at a public hearing Tuesday, Aug. 2, at 8 p.m. in the School auditorium.

The 1949-50 budget has been set at \$163,550. Last year's actual budget was \$151,615.

Superintendent Charles A. Skutt pointed out that the School Board had anticipated the passage of Assembly Bill 2120 which would provide an additional \$14,000 for the Sierra Madre School District. This bill, however, did not pass the state legislature, and the state apportionment for 1949-50 probably will be several hundred dollars less than for 1948-49.

Total income from the state and county for next year has been set at \$80,322. Last year's total income from state and county was \$82,475.

The Board will request \$64,387 in current district taxes. A total of \$50,407 was netted last year from the district tax.

"This request," Skutt said, "is in line with the increase in the assessed valuation of Sierra Madre. Some cities that did not receive this increase may be forced to run their schools for only eight months next year."

Loss from the expected passage of Assembly Bill 2120 will be largely offset by the increased assessed valuation. Since there have been no "blanket" increases in this area during the year, the increase actually represents additions or new property construction.

The expenditures and transfers section of the budget shows the usual increase in salaries and the addition of one part-time custodian.

Maintenance costs have been cut to \$3300, a decrease of \$1210. "It is less this year because we have been making such steady progress in our maintenance program at the school."

Skutt explained that the actual cost per student would be less during the year 1949-50 than it was last year. Last year's current expense of \$104.101 was based on the average daily attendance of 550 students. This year's \$108.850 is computed on the basis of 590 pupils, Skutt said.

Capital outlay is up nearly \$2000 due to the continuation of the current school modernization program. Workmen have been busy for several weeks and will continue throughout the summer on the improvement program.

It includes the painting of class rooms, the installation of

acoustical tiles in the ceilings of four class rooms, relighting them according to modern standards, the laying of asphalt tiling through the kitchen and auxiliary rooms of the school cafeteria.

The transfer fund was necessarily raised \$2250 to a total of \$26,400 because of the normal increase in the number of students who will be traveling to Pasadena next year.

Skutt said that the beginning balance of July 1, 1949, is approximately the same as for July 1, 1948. This amount, it was explained, is somewhat less than a 20 per cent reserve, but is sufficient to carry the district over the "lean period," July 1 to Feb. 1, of the following year when tax money is received. The current budget calls for increases of some \$2700 in reserves as of 1950.

Coordinating Council Plans Open Discussion on Pool

In an attempt to squarely present both sides of the swimming pool question, the Coordinating Council will conduct a panel and open discussion at a public meeting Tuesday evening, 8 p.m., at the Youth Hut.

Chairman Eugene Lunsford is contacting persons who understand the complete situation in Sierra Madre and those who possess technical knowledge necessary for the construction of a new pool.

"All sides of the issue will be represented, and speakers will pose their points clearly. Questions from the floor are welcomed," Lunsford said.

An effort is being made to obtain someone from the city who knows the geographical sites, and who knows possible ways of financing a proposed swimming pool.

A representative of the city property owners will present his views from the taxpayer's standpoint. In addition, Lunsford said that an expert on pool construction will estimate the probable cost of a new pool.

The meeting, according to Lunsford, will possess some of the elements of the old-fashioned town meeting. The Coordinating Council offers citizens an opportunity to sit down and discuss community problems.

Consisting of representatives from approximately 50 organi-

DOG OWNER FINED FOR LEASH VIOLATION

A husky dog, belonging to M. B. Carl, 368 Mariposa, has been misbehaving. At least, that's what two local residents say. Complainants Emma Weiss and Albert Krakow accused the dog of frightening and biting them.

The dog (and his master) pleaded "not guilty" to the charges and were arraigned before City Judge John Mead July 13.

His legal defense failed him, however, and the canine—or, his owner was fined \$5 on both counts.

He was found guilty of violating section 3a of City Ordinance 425, which forbids dogs to be allowed to run loose. The ordinance states that dogs must be restrained on a leash not exceeding 6 feet in length.

Crowds Attend Friday Campfire

Another evening "Campfire" is scheduled for tomorrow evening, 7 p.m., at the Youth Hut grounds. A regular Friday evening feature of Day Camp, last week's "Campfire" was attended by more than 300 parents and children.

Sam Kirk again will lead campers in cowboy songs, and two sound motion pictures are being planned.

Response to Canyon Quiz Disappoints

Response to the questionnaires sent to residents of the Canyon area last week has been "disappointing," President Al Morgan stated Tuesday.

Morgan said that only five actual answers were received by the Chamber by Tuesday afternoon. The questionnaires asked residents what they thought could be done to improve the living conditions in the Canyon.

He reported that one of the five filled-in blanks bluntly asked "Why doesn't Sierra Madre mind its own business?" The other four, however, were of a more encouraging tone, he said.

Three of the five letters complained about the lack of adequate roads to and from the Canyon, and the resulting traffic congestion. One letter suggested that the flood control set up should be cleaned more frequently.

Attorney Noren Eaton, who prepared the questionnaires, said he is surprised that anyone would think the Chamber had ulterior motives in undertaking the survey.

He felt that many persons of the Canyon probably misunderstood the Chamber's reason for conducting the survey. It is an attempt to discover what residents are thinking.

"If they have specific complaints, we want to hear about them; if they are satisfied that there is no problem in the Canyon, we want to know that also," he said.

The survey, according to Morgan, was designed to help Canyon residents help themselves. It will lay the necessary stepping stones for any future aid from the city.

Several persons obtained additional questionnaire blanks from the City Hall Tuesday and yesterday, Eaton said.

"For that reason," he said, "it may be possible that families living in the Canyon are discussing the matter among themselves to discover just what should be stressed in the answers."

"If that is the case, we may expect a deluge of completed questionnaires to arrive at the Chamber office in the City Hall at any time."

Approximately 280 questionnaires were sent to occupants of houses in the Canyon. Rosalie Goodwin, Chamber secretary, estimated that they all arrived at the designated address by Saturday.

Pre-School Lays Plans For Building

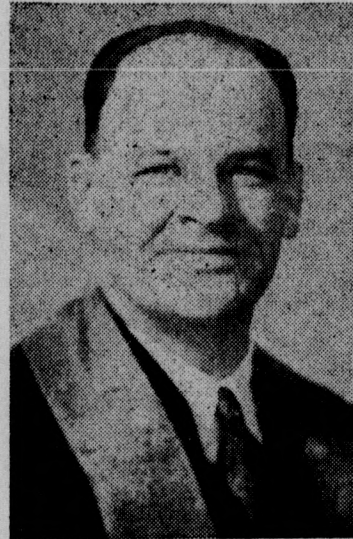
A special committee has been formed by the Nursery School Association to prepare drawings and investigate construction costs for its proposed building which would be used as a pre-school center and for the Nursery School program.

In a letter to the City Council, which was formally received and filed Tuesday night, the Association identified itself as a "cooperative community group," the expenses and services of which are provided by donations from members, citizens, and various organizations of the city.

The letter, signed by Mrs. Elena C. Brown, secretary, pointed out that the enrollment of any child is welcome, regardless of whether a contribution or service is made to the Association.

Mrs. Brown, speaking for the Association, reminded the Council that steps must be taken soon, because the Association will lose its present facilities at the Congregational Church by Jan. 1, 1950.

The letter asked that the City Council make a commitment to the effect that land will be available if the funds are provided.



REV. CARL SMITH

Rev. Smith Home From Conference

The Sierra Madre Congregational Church on Sunday, July 31, will welcome home its pastor, the Rev. Carl Smith, who has spent the past month in Colorado Springs at a convention of 200 ministers representing the Home Mission Board of the Conference of all Congregational Churches in the United States.

Following the morning worship service, the congregation will gather in Pritchard Hall where the Rev. Smith will be guest of honor at a family dinner at which his friends will have a chance to learn more of his trip, and greet him more informally than at the church service.

The dinner is being sponsored by Rev. Smith's Young Adult Sunday School class and the College group, the "Sierra Plymouths," with the high school Pilgrim Fellowship Group assisting with serving.

A pleasant surprise awaits "Carl" when he returns to his study at the church. In his absence and unknown to him, it has been completely redecorated by the Sierra Plymouths.

The Rev. Smith was highly honored by being chosen as one of nine delegates from the Southern California - Arizona - New Mexico - West Texas area. The Conference in La Forat, near Colorado Springs, included visits to the Garden of the Gods, Pikes Peak, Estes Park and Pastors Seminary.

Mr. Smith attended Boston University School of Theology and received his degree after additional years at Harvard Theological Seminary.

While attending college he also held a Pastorate at the Congregational Church in Winthrop, Mass. Prior to that he had served a year as assistant minister of the Holiston Avenue Methodist Church in Pasadena. Three years ago the Rev. Smith accepted the Pastorate of the Sierra Madre Congregational Church. During this time he has served two years on the Sierra Madre Recreation Commission.

Hearing Monday On P.E. Petition

Public hearings on a Pacific Electric petition to abandon most of its rails, including those to Sierra Madre, will be held Monday, Aug. 1, in the State Building in Los Angeles.

The City Council ordered City Attorney T. Guy Cornyn to oppose the proposal that P.E. cars be eliminated and busses substituted.

Two persons from Sierra Madre have offered to testify before the State Utilities Commission in defense of the rail lines and recommend that the P.E. service to this city be continued. They are Lillian Young Clark, 261 Adams, and Mrs. Ransom Matthews, 186 Grove.

A discussion on the question of eliminating the street cars is planned for today's meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, President Al Morgan said.

Proposed Law Would Restrict Movement In Fire Danger Areas

An ordinance restricting the movements of persons in the fire danger areas of the city was dropped into the legislative hopper by the City Council this week.

Given its first reading this week, the ordinance will require that any person obtain a permit between July 1 and September 1 before prowling around the mountain sides—an area generally north of Grandview avenue and in the Canyon area.

The regulation would not apply to owners of private property

"or their guests," and the Council could remove the regulations if it "determined that no fire hazard existed."

City Attorney T. Guy Cornyn pointed out that the Public Works Superintendent and Fire Chief Heasley had requested such an ordinance to control the "movement of transients" in the fire danger zone.

The ordinance will not affect movement of persons on regularly established streets or trails—including Mount Wilson Trail.

It will, however, restrict "side ventures" into the mountains. Permits for such excursions will have to be obtained from Fire Chief Heasley.

It was pointed out that the ordinance, which Cornyn admitted had no legal precedence, was "urgently needed because of the presence of transients which has caused an unusually high fire hazard."

The Council also had a first reading of an ordinance which would have the effect of clearing parkways of obstructions.

Purpose of the law would be to require—and enforce—the clearing of sidewalks, parkways and streets of weeds, trash, trees and shrubs.

Trees hanging over easements would have to be clipped to an eight foot clearance, and

Mayor Lauds Guard Camp

"Wonderful" is the word Mayor J. Milton Steinberger used to describe the Governor's Day Review held at Camp San Luis Obispo recently.

As one of the special activities of the National Guard's 15-day training camp, the Governor's Day celebration was designed to show dignitaries of California and prominent military men just what the California National Guardsmen are accomplishing.

Mayor Steinberger had received a special invitation from regimental headquarters to attend the all-day review. He reports that he and the other visitors were treated "very courteously" and that all the facilities of the camp were made available to them.

Jeeps and drivers were provided each guest, he said, and an attempt was made to make everyone feel right at home. Food, served in the officers' mess, was described by the Mayor as "excellent."

Among the dignitaries present at the celebration were Gen. Mark Clark, Major D. H. Hudelson, commanding officer of the 40th Division, and Lt. Governor Knight.

Mayor Steinberger said that he was so impressed by the Review that he is already looking forward to next year's Governor's Day at the camp.

Mayor Steinberger predicted at Tuesday's meeting of the City Council that an armory in Sierra Madre may soon be a reality.

He hinted that National Guard officials might compromise from their original stand that no armory could be considered in this city until the company numbers 121 men.

He indicated that the swelling of Sierra Madre's company ranks to even 90 men might bring about a compromise from the state headquarters. The company now numbers 60 men.

the Planning Commission, to the library board. He will take the place of Mrs. Edith Bowen who declined reappointment after 20 years on the board.

The Library Board at its last meeting recommended the reappointment of Dr. Raymond Simpson and recommended the appointment of David H. Allen. Mayor Milton Steinberger said that an additional appointment would be announced at the next Council meeting.

Charges against property owners for weed clearances were made official when no objections were recorded.

Total charges for the work done by the city crews amounted to about \$800. The average charge was \$9 for the work. The charges will be forwarded to the county tax collector, H. L. Byram.

The Council accepted a grant deed from John H. Osgood for property which will help the city obtain title to Churchill road. It was pointed out that many of the other property owners had been slow in deeding strips of land to the city which would clear up this legal muddle that has existed for years.

Another ordinance setting up rules and regulations for moving of buildings also was read to the Council by the city attorney.

The Council also, on recommendation of the Planning Commission, requested the County Regional Planning Commission to consider Sierra Madre zone regulations before establishing any zoning of adjacent county territory. This would apply, insofar as Sierra Madre is concerned, only to the upper Hastings Ranch area.

Guardsmen Return From 15 Day Camp

Sierra Madre's heavy mortar company of the California State Guard returned home at 7 a.m. Sunday, after a 15-day training camp at Camp San Luis Obispo.

Commanded by Capt. Sanford Ullman, the company left the training grounds at 7 p.m. Saturday evening. Sergeants Wolcott Biele, Smith and Joe Cox preceded the train movement in a motor convoy to bring back company supplies.

Captain Ullman reports that Recruit William A. Webster, 305 E. Laurel, was taken ill with tonsillitis and remained behind in the French Hospital of San Luis Obispo. He is expected home this week.

Sgt. Tom Cox remained in camp until Monday, serving as a part of the rear detachment to close up the camp areas.

The Sierra Madre company, according to Captain Ullman, won the softball championship of the 223rd regiment, but was defeated in play-off competition for the camp championship by the team from the 224th regiment.

As a part of their advanced training, Officer Candidates Barr and Charles Abela served as officers during the camp. Their final commissions as second lieutenants in the National Guard are dependent upon the completion of the Guard's correspondence course. Both men already have graduated from Officer Candidate's School.

Captain Ullman said food served the men was "extremely good," and that the mess hall run by this city's company received the highest overall rating of any company in the camp. Lt. Douglas Simpson served as mess officer.

New 4.2 mortars of the com-

pany performed "fine" in their initial practice firing, the captain said. Mortarmen received very intensive training from men from a heavy mortar company of the 23rd infantry division, U.S.A.

"By the second week of camp, our coordinated team of observers, firecontrolmen, and gunners were capable of laying powerful fire upon any objective within a 2½-mile radius," he said.

The new mortar, according to Captain Ullman, fires an explosive shell nearly as powerful as those fired in 105mm. cannons. A firing rate of 20 shells per minute can be sustained by the new mortar for two minutes.

"Normal sustained rate of fire, however, is five shells per minute," he said.

Other weapons fired by the 50 Sierra Madrenas at camp included the M-1 rifle, the M-2 carbine, the .45 caliber automatic pistol, the bazooka, the Browning Automatic Rifle, and the flame thrower.

On Sunday of the last week, local guardsmen were pleasantly surprised at the arrival of 10 Sierra Madre girls. Captain Ullman reports that a 2½-ton truck transported the Sierra Madre boys and girls for an outing at Avila Beach.

Campers Begin Last Week

Today marks the half-way point of Sierra Madre's Day Camp.

With seven sessions of the three-week program behind them, children, workers, and directors of the youth program are certain of one thing: The Day Camp has been and is a big success.

Recreation Director Sam McElfresh announces a daily average attendance of 180 with a total registration of 225.

"Although a few of the campers have irregular attendance records because of family vacations or other legitimate reasons, most of the children have been present every day," he said. "This consistent support has made the camp a success."

Swimming in the Canyon Pool has been scheduled today for children of the 5th and 6th grades. They will leave the Youth Hut at 10:30 and be back again in time for the noon meal. Pool Manager Dan Rauscher and Lifeguard Warren Peterson, plus at least one other accredited lifeguard, will be on hand to give instruction in swimming.

This afternoon, Dr. Milton Valois, Sierra Madre dentist, will again be at camp. He will show motion pictures on fishing and will talk briefly on the care of the teeth.

Tomorrow afternoon, several local artists have volunteered their time to come to the Youth Hut grounds and demonstrate their work. They will sketch children and landscape scenes, and will welcome questions from the campers concerning their work.

McElfresh reports that horseback riding has been a popular feature of the camp. Every day this week, groups of children have been transported to stables in Arcadia and Santa Anita. Mrs. Harold Drury, Mrs. Lee Embree, and Mrs. Draeger are in charge of this part of the program. Horseback riding will continue next week also, McElfresh said, to assure every child the chance of participating.

Campers will travel to Chantry Flats Monday and Tuesday for supervised hikes. Four rangers from the U. S. Forest Serv-

ice will be on hand to guide the children.

As an extra feature, some of the hikers will be given the chance to help rangers replace trees in the forest areas. McElfresh said that additional transportation is still needed for the Chantry Flats trips.

Mrs. C. H. Gerke will present her puppet show again next Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Florence Woods, Camp Fire Girl field director, will also be present and will teach children how to blueprint leaves.

The blueprint projects will be continued Thursday morning, when children make oval cardboard frames for their blueprints. The completed prints, it is expected, will be taken home and presented to parents.

McElfresh particularly praised the work of Dick Davey, camp bugler; Bob Murray, movie projectionist and general helper about the camp; and Mrs. Robert Bettencourt, chairman of all special afternoon programs.

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ried depositors last week.
Vice-president Al Morgan
stoutly denied that he had
lost his keys and hired the
workmen to let him in.
The two men explained
that a new fan being in-
stalled at the bank had
necessitated cutting
through a section of the
wall directly over the door.

Teen-Agers
Plan Friday
'Levi' Dance

Sierra Madre's teen agers are planning another dance—this time, a "Levi Hop."

Oddly, participants are expected to wear levis to the "Levi Hop." The dance is slated for tomorrow evening, 8 to 11, at the Park House.

Mrs. John Pascoe and Philip Mitchell again will assist at the affair, which, Recreation Director Sam McElfresh reports, will feature some new modern dance records.

Cokes and other refreshments will be available for the dancers.

Edward Summers Wins
Masonic Third Degree

Edward Summers, 183 N. Lima, was conferred the Masonic Third Degree Tuesday night at the Masonic Temple.

Summers is employed in Los Angeles as a member of the United Fidelity and Guaranty Company.

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Mrs. Barter
Wins Honor

Mrs. Marjorie Barter of Sierra Madre has been notified that a pamphlet prepared by her for the American Friends Service Committee has been accepted for publication.

The folder tells of the work being accomplished by the committee in its American Indian project. It describes work undertaken last year and this summer when children from the Hopi and Navajo tribes visited this area.

Paul Johnson, executive secretary of the regional office, said that this is the first time that a pamphlet for the national headquarters of American Friends Service Committee has been prepared by a regional office.

Johnson said Mrs. Barter's folder will be published within the next month.

State Schooling
For Veterans
Hits New High

A record summer session enrollment of veterans under the state program of educational assistance was reported this week by California Director of Veterans Affairs Lawrence C. Stevens.

Stevens predicted that when complete figures are in, they may exceed 1,500 ex-servicemen enrolled under the California Veterans Educational Institute for the early part of the summer. Last July there were fewer than 1,000 veterans receiving CVEI aid.

The increase is accounted for by the growing number of veterans who have reached or are approaching the end of their educational entitlement under the Federal GI Bill of Rights, Stevens explained.

State educational aid is limited to a maximum outlay of \$1,000 per veteran, spent for tuition, books and supplies and a subsistence allowance of \$40 a month on the college level.

EUROPE BOUND

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barksdale D'Orr of 170 W. Carter, sail on the Queen Mary from New York August 12, for Europe.

They plan to visit all the countries with the exception of those barred by the "Iron Curtain."

Mr. D'Orr will return to Sierra Madre in two months, but Mrs. D'Orr will remain in the East an extra month.

During the war, Mr. D'Orr, a Los Angeles attorney, was in charge of all rationing on the West Coast.

Bill Burr
Will Sell
Manila Cafe

William L. Burr will return to Manila via Pan American Airlines Monday night. He plans to sell his business and return to Sierra Madre to live here permanently.

On his return trip home recently he was joined in Grand Rapids, Mich. by his family, Mrs. Betty Burr, and sons, Billy, 12, and Jackie, 8, of 499 East Montecito.

For nearly five years Mr. Burr has owned and operated one of the largest night clubs in Manila, "Metro Gardens." He started in business in 1945, after participating in the liberation of the Philippines. This is his third trip home.

During the war Mr. Burr was field director for American Red Cross Pacific task forces and was instrumental in setting up the first relief headquarters for prisoners of Santo Tomas. He also established the first recreation facilities for American troops in Manila.

Commenting on conditions in the Philippines, Mr. Burr said:

"For a country that was devastated by war, Manila is getting along pretty well and is potentially a strong republic. The Filipinos look on the United States as a Shangri-La and copy our habits. The newspapers are all in English and there are many American films."

Mr. Burr's return trip to this country (entirely by air) included stops at Hong Kong, Bangkok, Siam, Calcutta, New Delhi, Bombay, Cairo, Rome, Madrid, Lisbon, Portugal, Paris, London and New York.

From 1937 (when the Burrs came to Sierra Madre) to the advent of the war, Mr. Burr was active in local affairs. He is past president of the Chamber of Commerce, Kiwanis Club, and was treasurer of the Library Board.

Former Foreman
Of NEWS Visits

Dale Langley, shop foreman of the Sierra Madre News during the 1930s, revisited his old plant one day last week.

He expressed amazement at the many changes, but sighed nostalgically over some of the things that are still the same.

Langley is now employed by a photographic equipment firm in Hollywood. He came to Sierra Madre with his family in 1913. His mother-in-law, Mrs. A. C. Church, lives at 527 Manzanita.

Nursery School
Plans Auxiliary

At a meeting held recently at the home of Mrs. E. W. Bentler, 409 Ramona, plans were discussed for the formation of a Nursery School Auxiliary.

Everyone interested in the Sierra Madre Community Nursery School is invited to join the Auxiliary, Mrs. Bentler, temporary chairman of the movement, announced. Principal purpose of the organization would be to assist the Nursery School in any way possible.

A luncheon is being scheduled for sometime in August. At this luncheon, date to be announced later, formal plans for the auxiliary's organization will be formulated. Mrs. Bentler urges everyone interested in such an auxiliary to attend.

DRIVING TEACHERS
ATTENDING SCHOOL

The new state law making driver education compulsory in the high schools of California has created a demand for trained instructors which is being met this summer by teacher training institutes sponsored by colleges throughout the state.

As a principal contribution to this program, and with the cooperation of the California Association of Insurance Agents and the National Automobile Club, the accident prevention department of the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies is conducting courses in conjunction with Sacramento State College, Occidental College, University of California, San Francisco State College and Fresno State College.

Fire Sweeps
Local Kitchen

Fire swept through the kitchen of a house at 608 Elm early last Thursday morning, causing an estimated \$1000 damage.

Mrs. Marjorie T. Crouse, tenant of the house, could offer no explanation of what caused the blaze, which apparently originated in a drawer on the right side of the kitchen sink.

Firemen, however, theorized that it may have started when mice chewed into a box of matches in the drawer. The fire was reported at 1:08 a.m.

Although the flames did not break through the ceiling, much damage was reported to cupboards, shelves, and drawers.

Owner of the house is Ray A. Terry of 2047 San Pasqual, Pasadena.

Sally Clark
Attends Big
Dance Meet

Sally Clark, popular Sierra Madre dancing instructor, currently is attending the National Dance Congress, being held this year in Hollywood. The convention began Wednesday and continues until Aug. 3.

Mrs. Clark reports that dancing instructors from all over the United States and Hawaii are present at the Congress.

Dancing classes for children, ages 6 to the early teens, taught by Mrs. Clark, are scheduled again for this year. She stated that first class probably will be held Sept. 15.

Mrs. Clark said she will announce more definite plans as to time and place later.

SKUTT SCHEDULES
POSTMAN'S HOLIDAY

Charles A. Skutt is planning a typical postman's holiday this year.

Where would you least expect the superintendent of Schools to spend his vacation? That's right—at school.

Skutt will enroll Monday, Aug. 1, at Pomona College for a five weeks' course on the non-educational aspects of school administration.

Credits, he said, will go toward his degree of doctor of philosophy.

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FIRE
FLAMES

There were several guesses as to what might have happened to Chief Heasley last week as he was seen with a plaster on the top of his head. He said that the trunk door of his car fell on it. One fellow insisted that Heasley forgot to duck when he tried to get in through the side door, but the best one is the one that Sam Gorman tells. Ask Sam. At any rate, we are glad to see (and feel) that the sore spot no longer needs a plaster.

The recent fire call was so distant from the one before, that some of the things learned were nearly forgotten. Despite everything, the fire was brought under control well and our work left very little room for criticism.

Because of the early arrival of "Tex" Gotcher, one of our policemen, the fire was held to a minimum with a garden hose until the fire department arrived. Further use of large hose was not needed.

The entire fire was extinguished with water from the small garden hose. Once more the value of a connected garden hose was proved. The early appliance of just a little water at the right time and place is that ounce of prevention.

It is urgently asked that a good lengthy garden hose be left where it is easily accessible for use by the first arriving fire fighters. To those who live near the brush covered areas, this is especially requested. Quite a large brush fire can be stopped with water from a garden hose.

Because he is the grandfather of many children is not the reason George Norris is called the "little old man" of the fire department, but one would have thought so, when his son-in-law, Jimmie Brown, was so very thoughtful that he took one of the nozzles away from him at the recent fire.

Bob Orme, one of our most loyal Auxiliary members, invited Mel Morse up to see him. "Come to the door," he said, "and where you see the num-

ber on the door, push the button with your elbow and when the door opens put your foot against it."

"Why do I have to use my elbow and put my foot against the door?" asked Mel!

"Well for gosh sakes," exclaimed Bob, "you're not comin' up empty handed, are you?"

After Mel got there he told a story. Here 'tis: Her dress was tight, she scarce could breathe; She sneezed aloud, and there stood Eve.

The cause of the recent fire has not been determined. It started in drawers beneath the kitchen sink, one of which contained several dry dish towels. This alone, would not cause spontaneous combustion. Several things could have happened and none of these are accusations—just possibilities.

Those of us who smoke, have formed many habits that have become mechanical. We are prone to place our burning cigarettes on the edge of a shelf at which we may be working. Many of us have been chastised by the housekeeper for scorching new paint on the bathroom dresser (or whatever that thing is called). It could be that a person, while washing or drying the dishes, could place a burning cigarette on the edge of the sink and—just a particle of the hot ashes could drop into a drawer of dry towels or any combustible material. Not to be noticed at the time, might have simmered (perhaps has) for hours before bursting into flame.

We ask that everybody think of this when smoking. And for the love of Pete, DON'T SMOKE IN BED!

Jim: "Dear, it's just twenty years since our honeymoon, when we spent that glorious day on the sand."

Myrtle: "Yes, and we little thought that we'd be spending our anniversary on the rocks."

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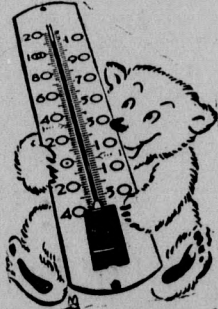
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Youngster, 7, Hit By Car

Donald Poundstone, 7, learned last Thursday afternoon that even walking in crosswalks is not always safe.

While crossing Sierra Madre boulevard at Baldwin with his aunt, Mrs. Eugene R. Baird, Donald was struck and knocked down by a car driven by Pearl Stearns Mead. He was not injured.

Donald, grandson of F. D. R. Moore, Los Angeles attorney and Sierra Madre resident, said he saw two automobiles waiting at the boulevard stop sign. He stepped past the first one, hesitated, then started to walk past the second car, driven by Mrs. Mead, 534 Brookside Lane.

Mrs. Mead reports that she made a complete stop, but, upon seeing the child hesitate and wait, she started her car across the crosswalk, knocking down Donald.

The car was hardly moving when it hit the boy, she said.

Donald was given a thorough physical check-up by the family doctor, but no injuries were discovered.

Mrs. Mead was cited by Sierra Madre police for failure to yield the right of way.

ANNUAL EASTERN STAR MATRONS AND PATRONS EVENING

The annual Matrons and Patrons party of the local Order of Eastern Star will take place next Monday night, August 1st at the Masonic Temple according to Worthy Matron Mrs. Tillie Froehlich.

All stations will be filled by courtesy officers and the line officers will be co-hosts for the evening.

Jimmy Tice to Visit Centennial With PCC Band

Jimmy Tice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tice, 329 W. Grandview, will accompany the Pasadena City College's Summer Bulldog Band when it participates in the centennial celebration of Santa Barbara, Aug. 4 and 5.

Tice was graduated last month from Woodrow Wilson Junior High School and is active this summer in dramatic activities of the Pasadena Department of Recreation. He will enter PCC in the fall.

MRS. THURBER OFFERS RECORDS FOR CHILDREN

Mrs. Ruth Agnew Thurber, 470 Manzanita, has introduced something entirely new in children's recordings.

She is the originator of "Musical Mother Ruth" records for children, ages 3 to 12. The records were released during the early part of July.

These record albums, Mrs. Thurber said, are distinctive because there are no other character training records on the market. They present the gay, happy approach to building strong characters — without preaching.

Mrs. Thurber wrote the music and stories, and all the voice work, piano accompaniment, and other sound effects are hers.

The two albums, each containing two unbreakable records, are endorsed by the California Council of Protestant Churches and by the Audio Visual Education Association.

Jay walkers sometimes are late walkers.

BUICK DEALERS ATTEND CONFAB

R. L. Roberts, Monrovia Buick dealer, traveled to Los Angeles yesterday to attend a preview of the new Buick Special model which will be introduced to the public next month.

More than 73 dealers from the area were present at the all-day session held at the Ambassador Hotel. The meeting was described by witnesses as being the largest dealers convention since before the war.

Talks and films were presented to dealers by the company's top management covering all phases of manufacturing, engineering, sales, and merchandising.

CITY STARTS BASE FOR BOOSTER PUMP

Preliminary work on the connections for the city's new booster pump is continuing this week, according to William Tave, director of public works.

Workmen are connecting into existing suction lines and laying pipe up to the new pump location. In addition, Tave said, preparations are being made to pour concrete for the base of the new pump.

Delivery of the pump is scheduled for Aug. 15.

City employees also were busy last week taking out trees from the parkway of the City Park on Hermosa.

VA Announces NSLI Dividend Application Date

Application blanks for the \$2,800,000,000 National Service Life Insurance special dividend to be paid to some 16,000,000 present and former policyholders will be available for veterans August 29, Carl R. Gray, Jr., Administrator of Veterans Affairs, announced yesterday.

Government Printing Office currently is running off 70,000,000 of the forms, which will be available in every postoffice, V-A Office, and at veterans' service organizations beginning August 29. This is the earliest date the Government Printing Office can complete distribution of the huge order.

DESCRIBES TYPHOONS

Letters from Peter F. Jack, who is doing Army construction work on Okinawa, relate how the island is continually rocked by typhoons.

The most recent letter, received by his wife, Mrs. Jack of Sierra Madre, described one typhoon, designated "gale" by the Army as having winds reaching a velocity of 175 miles per hour.

Jack is an employee of Vinell Corporation.



Western Air Lines pilots named Karolee Kelly "Miss Nonstop-49er," in honor of the line's new three and three-fourth-hour Con-Val service between Los Angeles and Portland.

Marshall Plan Talk at Kiwanis

An Altadena Kiwanian was the guest speaker at the local luncheon Tuesday, Jim Sideras. Mr. Sideras is a native of Greece and talked on the Marshall Plan as seen by the Greek people. His talk was reported to have been very fascinating.

David Allen was awarded the attendance prize for the week. President Earl Gossard announced that the next Board meeting would be held Thursday evening, August 4, at the home of Jim Spencer, 678 Alta Vista.

Jewish Welfare Goal Not Reached

Although final figures have not been compiled as yet, Dr. Nathan Jacobs reports that Sierra Madre's goal of \$25,000 for the United Jewish Welfare Drive was not reached.

In a last-minute attempt to raise the necessary money, this city's campaign had been extended for two additional weeks. Original deadline had been set at July 1.

"While many people increased the size of their original pledges, these still were not enough to enable us to reach our goal," Dr. Jacobs, chairman of the San Gabriel Valley Jewish Welfare Fund, said.

The drive was officially declared closed June 15. Complete tabulations on how much was received will be released by next week, Dr. Jacobs said.

'DESERT SONG' ATTRACTS MANY TO MISSION PLAYHOUSE

Sierra Madre light opera devotees have enjoyed the production at the Mission Playhouse of the "Desert Song" during the past week.

Among the hostesses Saturday and Sunday night were the Misses Sylvia Worthington, Helen Barella, Darlene Bennett, Martha Ann Jackson, Peggy Foley, Therese Cole, Sally Woehler and Varela Valencia.

Attending the productions were Mr. and Mrs. Al Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. William Stoddard and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Hall Perry, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Maloney, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Roberts, Francis Akeman, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hill, Mrs. Edward Clinton Young, Ronald Martin, Robert Davis, Mrs. Robert Newberry and many other Sierra Madreans.

Papers From Manx Reveal U.S. Touch

Even though their cats have no tails, many things on the Isle of Man are just the same as in the United States. This fact was brought home last week to Mrs. M. Caley Barker, 233 Ramona avenue, when she received in the mail two copies of the Isle of Man Examiner, Manx newspaper.

Spread prominently over the front page of both editions are pictures of the island's equivalent of bathing beauties. Each week during the summer, beauty contests are conducted, with cash prizes being awarded the winners.

Top story of one edition (June 10, 1949) concerned a pending bus strike. The next issue (June 17) revealed that the proposed strike had been averted.

Both copies of the paper gave much display to the races. These were not horse, but motorcycle races, however. One entire section is filled with pictures of the motorcyclists in action.

Not unlike American newspapers, stories of crime consume a large share of the available space. They are written in a more conservative style than most stories of a similar

nature would get in the United States. A typical story of this kind concerned an embezzlement case.

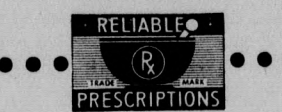
Advertising, although often quaint, resembles the American style very closely. It is surprising to note just how many American-made products have found their way over to the Isle. Ovaltine, Bendix Washers, and Shell Oil are a few of this country's products advertised in the paper.

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Christian Educator Wins Appointment

Dr. Wilbur C. Parry, who for the past five and one-half years has headed the department of Christian Education of the Southern California Council of Protestant Churches and the Church Federation of Los Angeles, has been appointed Associate General Secretary of the International Council of Religious Education, it was revealed this week by Dr. M. Owen Kellison, president of the Southern California Council of Protestant Churches.

Dr. Parry's resignation from his present position becomes effective October 1. The headquarters of the International Council of Religious Education are in Chicago.

Dr. Parry joined the staff of the Southern Council and the Church Federation in December 1943. In cooperation with other local religious leaders he pioneered in setting up the system of Week Day Religious Education classes, which operate under the California Released Time Law. He lives at 1701 N. El Molino, Pasadena.

HEARING FRIDAY FOR McBURNEY

Preliminary hearing for Franklin James McBurney, 595 Yucca Trail, charged with wife-beating, has been scheduled for tomorrow, 2 p.m., in Monrovia Township Court. McBurney was arraigned last Friday, and bail was set at \$2500.

McBurney is accused of striking his wife, Mrs. Beulah McBurney, several times on the head with one of her shoes. When the wounds became infected last week, Mrs. McBurney was taken to L.A. County General Hospital for treatment.

Korsmeier Returns From Kansas Trip

Councilman Henry Korsmeier returned home recently following a trip to Bratton, Kansas, where Mrs. Korsmeier visited her father.

The councilman reports a nice trip both ways, but complains that the Kansas weather was "too hot."

Korsmeier returned to California by train, his wife remaining in Kansas for several more weeks.

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PUBLICATION BUDGET OF THE SIERRA MADRE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1950

The following publication budget for school purposes was adopted by the governing board of the Sierra Madre City school district, at a meeting held July 19, 1949, pending publication, public hearing and final adoption as required by the Education Code.

The public hearing on this budget will be held at Sierra Madre City School, 141 W. Highland Ave., Sierra Madre, on August 2, 1949, at 8:00 o'clock P.M.

The public is cordially invited to attend this hearing.

C. C. TRILLINGHAM
County Superintendent of Schools.

	1948-1949 Actual, or Estimated	1949-1950 Budget
GENERAL FUND		
BEGINNING BALANCE, JULY 1		
Cash in County Treasury	\$ 21,362.00	\$ 42,966.00
Emergency Cash Fund	25.00	25.00
Total Current Assets	\$ 21,387.00	\$ 42,991.00
Less: Current Liabilities	2,654.00	24,150.00
Net Beginning Balance	\$ 18,733.00	\$ 18,841.00
INCOME		
State School Fund Apportionments and Allowances:		
Apportionments on A.D.A. (Basic State Aid and State Equalization Aid)	76,004.00	75,787.00
Allowances for excess costs (Exceptional Minors)	800.00	360.00
Allowances for transportation		500.00
County Aid:		
Tax on Solvent Credits	100.00	100.00
Delinquent (County) Taxes	31.00	25.00
District Taxes on Unsecured Property	1,110.00	1,000.00
Delinquent Municipal and District Taxes	3,046.00	2,000.00
Other Income	1,384.00	550.00
Total Income other than Current District Taxes	\$ 82,475.00	\$ 80,322.00
Current District Taxes Received 1948-49	\$ 50,407.00	\$
Current District Taxes required to Balance Budget 1949-50		64,387.00
Total Income	\$132,882.00	\$144,709.00
TOTAL, BEGINNING BALANCE PLUS INCOME	\$151,615.00	\$163,550.00
EXPENDITURES AND TRANSFERS		
Administration		
Salaries and Wages	\$ 5,175.00	\$ 5,175.00
Other Expense	575.00	575.00
Total	\$ 5,750.00	\$ 5,750.00
Instruction		
Teachers Salaries (certificated)	\$ 70,124.00	\$ 75,000.00
Other Expense of Instruction	5,945.00	
Salaries and Wages (non-certificated)		1,925.00
Audio Visual Education service (county contract)		275.00
Library		1,200.00
Other Expense		1,200.00
Total Instruction	\$ 76,069.00	\$ 79,600.00
Operation of School Plant		
Salaries and Wages	\$ 8,600.00	\$ 8,600.00
Other Expense	2,600.00	
Total	\$ 11,200.00	\$ 11,200.00
Maintenance of School Plant		
Salaries and Wages	\$ 1,700.00	\$ 1,700.00
Other Expense	1,600.00	
Total	\$ 4,510.00	\$ 3,300.00
Auxiliary Services		
Transportation of Pupils		
Salaries and Wages	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Other Expense	750.00	
Total	\$ 1,750.00	\$ 1,750.00
Other Auxiliary Services		
Salaries and Wages	\$ 3,950.00	\$ 3,950.00
Other Expense	300.00	
Total	\$ 4,250.00	\$ 4,250.00
Total Auxiliary Services	\$ 5,258.00	\$ 6,000.00
Fixed Charges		
Other Fixed Charges	\$ 1,845.00	\$ 3,000.00
Total	\$ 1,845.00	\$ 3,000.00
Total Current Expense	\$104,101.00	\$108,850.00
Capital Outlay		
Improvement on Grounds	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Buildings	1,600.00	
Equipment	3,000.00	
Total	\$ 3,783.00	\$ 5,600.00
Community Services		
Salaries and Wages	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00
Other Expense	1,000.00	
Total	\$ 740.00	\$ 1,300.00
Transfers (not classified as expenditures)	\$ 24,150.00	\$ 26,400.00
Undistributed Reserve		11,400.00
Total Expenditures and Transfers	\$132,774.00	\$153,550.00
ENDING BALANCE, JUNE 30		
Cash in County Treasury	\$ 42,966.00	\$
Emergency Cash Fund	25.00	
General Reserve June 30, 1950, for 1950-51		10,000.00
Total Current Assets	\$ 42,991.00	\$
Less: Current Liabilities	24,150.00	
Net Ending Balance	\$ 18,841.00	\$ 10,000.00
TOTAL, EXPENDITURES AND TRANSFERS PLUS ENDING BALANCE	\$151,615.00	\$163,550.00
BOND INTEREST AND SINKING FUND		
BEGINNING BALANCE, JULY 1	\$ 10,395.06	\$ 7,912.79
INCOME		
Miscellaneous Income	\$ 18.01	
District Taxes Receiver 1948-49	10,999.72	
District Taxes Required to Balance Budget 1949-50		8,637.21
Total	\$ 11,017.73	\$ 8,637.21
TOTAL, BEGINNING BALANCE PLUS INCOME	\$ 21,412.79	\$ 16,550.00

COUNTY BEGINS FLY CAMPAIGN

The fly control campaign set in motion last week by the Los Angeles Health department gained tempo this week with an announcement that a citizens' fly control committee had been formed in Torrance, that a survey of construction privies was under way in the Burbank area, and that a free fly control check list was available through the Los Angeles County Health department.

Stanley Martin, sanitation bureau director for the county health department announced that the sprays in the household size using the new fly killer benzene hexachloride were becoming more common on the market and would no doubt be readily available in the near future.

Although DDT has lost its efficiency as a fly killer in many Los Angeles County areas, it is still excellent for moths and other insects. For that reason probably it will continue to be used in the new sprays along with benzene hexachloride, LINDANE as it will be called.

MRS. M. YOUNG, EDUCATOR, DIES

Mrs. Maude Adams Young, 5083 Romaine street, Los Angeles, died suddenly Saturday, July 23, in a Los Angeles hospital.

A resident of Sierra Madre for 22 years, Mrs. Young was well-known by citizens here. She moved to Los Angeles nine months ago. Although originally from London, England, she lived in California for 64 years.

Mrs. Young was noted for her work as head of the Domestic Science department of Ohio State University, and she served in that capacity in aiding governmental research during World War I.

She was a member of the Sierra Madre Congregational Church.

Besides her husband, Nestor A. Young Jr., Mrs. Young is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Althea A. Gilmore of Amhurst, Mass., a brother, Carey G. Gregory of Pasadena, a sister, Miss Lulu M. Adams of Belmont Shores, and two grandchildren.

Private services were held yesterday, 3 p.m., in Grant Chapel, the Rev. Harry P. Leach officiating. Committal was at Pasadena Mausoleum.

COME CLEAN

Out-of-state tourists spent \$9,157,000 the past year in Southern California having their clothes laundered, cleaned, and pressed.

Or, putting it another way, their laundry and cleaning bill was big enough to provide 20 nice clean shirts for every man in Los Angeles County.

EXPENDITURES AND TRANSFERS

Bond Interest	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 4,050.00
Bond Redemption	9,000.00	9,000.00
Total Expenditures and Transfers	\$ 13,500.00	\$ 13,050.00
ENDING BALANCE, JUNE 30	7,912.79	3,500.00
TOTAL, EXPENDITURES AND TRANSFERS PLUS ENDING BALANCE	\$ 21,412.79	\$ 16,550.00

CAPFETERIA ACCOUNT

BEGINNING BALANCE, JULY 1		
Cash in Bank		
"Operating" cash	\$ 750.00	\$ 698.00
Stores and Prepaid Expense	193.00	225.00
Total	\$ 943.00	\$ 923.00

INCOME		
Cafeteria Sales	\$ 7,203.00	\$ 7,200.00
Total	\$ 7,203.00	\$ 7,200.00

TOTAL, BEGINNING BALANCE PLUS INCOME	\$ 8,146.00	\$ 8,123.00
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EXPENDITURES

Auxiliary Services:		
Other Auxiliary Services		
Food	\$ 4,888.00	\$ 4,850.00
Salaries	2,077.00	2,075.00
Operating Supplies and Expenses	221.00	225.00
Repairs and Replacements and/or Depreciation	37.00	35.00

Fixed Charges		
Capital Outlay		
Total Expenditures	\$ 7,223.00	\$ 7,185.00

ENDING BALANCE		
Cash in Bank		
"Operating" cash	\$ 698.00	
Stores and Prepaid Expense	225.00	
Total	\$ 923.00	

Net	\$ 923.00	\$ 938.00
TOTAL, EXPENDITURES PLUS ENDING BALANCE	\$ 8,146.00	\$ 8,123.00

Two Residents Develop Water Recording Device

(Editor's note: This is the third in a series of articles about interesting Sierra Madre businesses and persons.)

A virtually fool proof device for checking water levels in reservoirs has been invented by two Sierra Madre men. It is the Remote Supervisory System, invented by A. S. Meyers and perfected by Francis I. Danielson.

A product of 15 years' work and research, the invention is now being used in several cities of Southern California.

The System consists of both audio and visual signals that supervise the pumping of water and regulates the high and low point of water in reservoirs.



A. E. Meyers

It immediately detects and records on a switchboard any abnormal condition in a pumping plant. A green light on the switchboard indicates that the machinery and water levels are acting normally; a red light warns that something is wrong.

BELL SYSTEM WARNS

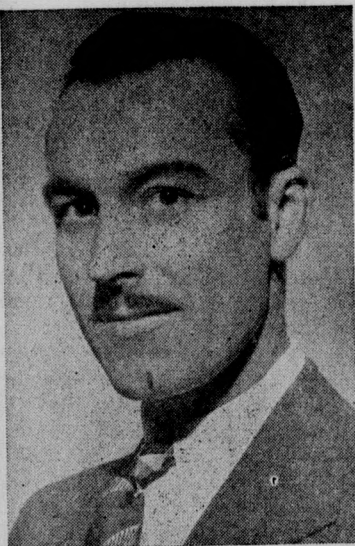
In addition, a system of bells that can be heard in residences, serves as an added safeguard in warning water department employees that water levels are abnormal.

Myers estimates that an appropriate signal is given no later than five seconds after the water level in a reservoir drops. It is possible to set the switch at a desired height, and then let the water automatically stop pumping when that level is reached.

In the case of a water pump, a bell, siren, red light, or any combination of these signals warns the operator when water is being pumped either too fast or too slow.

EXPLAIN PURPOSE

In further explaining the purpose of their device, Myers and Danielson likened it to a driver of an automobile. They said that the starter of a car often fails, but the operator is there to do something about it. The Remote Supervisory System, similarly, tells water department men when a pump fails or when water levels fall. "Most cities have an inadequate system by which losses of water are made up, Myers said. "Unless standby equipment is available, it takes quite a while to regain normal water levels."



Francis I. Danielson

Company is supervised by the invention in that city, he said.

At present, Danielson stated, it takes approximately 30 days to install a Remote Supervisory System. Installation time will be cut to one week, however, as soon as necessary materials are made more available.

The plant in Whittier is now on an 8-hour-day basis. Prior to installation of the Supervisory System, it was necessary for watchmen to patrol the plant every few minutes 24 hours a day.

ATTENDS SISTER'S FUNERAL TUESDAY IN SAN DIEGO

Mrs. Marjorie Barter of Orange Drive received the shocking news Sunday morning of the death of her sister, Mrs. James W. Bunnell of San Diego, who passed away suddenly from a heart attack.

Mrs. Bunnell had made many friends in Sierra Madre on frequent visits here. She spent several days at the Barter home during June.

Mrs. Barter left immediately with her brother, Woodworth Clum Jr. of Le Habre, for San Diego and will remain for some time. The funeral rites were Tuesday afternoon.

ETERAS

Eteras of Bethany Church will meet tonight (July 28) at the home of Mrs. Henry Gregor of 195 San Gabriel Court.

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MRS. DE WRIGHT FRACTURES ARM

Mrs. May de Wright, 540 W. Alegria, suffered a simple fracture of the right wrist last week when she slipped on a living room rug and smashed her arm against a table.

She reports that this latest casualty leaves only one limb of her body that has not been broken. Her left leg and left arm were fractured several years ago. Mrs. de Wright does not plan to complete the record.

Lt. Comdr. Wright, her husband, is stationed with the U.S. Navy in San Francisco. Ever since the accident, which occurred Tuesday, July 19, Mrs. de Wright says she has been training herself to do everything lefthanded.

Rites Today for Lorena B. Lindre

Mrs. Lorena Bacon Lindre died Monday evening in Pasadena after a lengthy illness.

Funeral services will be conducted for her at 2 p.m. today (July 28) at Turner & Stevens Mortuary in Pasadena.

During her recent two years residence in Sierra Madre, Mrs. Lindre's home was at 33 West Montecito. She owned considerable property here and has been a frequent visitor for many years.

Mrs. Lindre was born June 25, 1872, in Sprague, New York.

Her only survivors are cousins: Mrs. Frank Jewel of Pasadena, Mrs. Terissa Fletcher and Harry Abells, both of Syracuse, N.Y.

California Has Three Jobs For School Planners

To implement the task of planning for \$1,300,000,000 in California school construction by 1954, three field representatives in school planning will be needed immediately by the State Department of Education, according to Dr. Charles W. Bursch, assistant chief, division of Public School Administration.

These positions, starting at \$395 a month, will be filled by a California state civil service examination to be held August 20, 1949. Applicants will be received by the State Personnel Board through August 6.

Final filing dates for other state civil service positions are listed below:

August 30: Car Inspector and Repairman, prevailing rate.

September 1: Regional Business Manager, Department of Social Welfare, \$505.

United States citizenship is required of all candidates.

Shades of Yesteryear

40 YEARS AGO

July 30, 1909

Fire damaged the Twycross cottage last Monday to the extent of about \$150. The fire alarm did not ring because there was none to be rung. The volunteer fire department did not respond in force because there was no alarm, and the excitement was all over before the word had time to go very far.

With actual work underway on three streets, the summer's street improvement campaign will be in full swing by next week. It had been hoped that the season's work could be completed earlier this year than last and there still remains a chance, though Mountain Trail avenue was practically completed at this time and Baldwin was well under way.

25 YEARS AGO

Aug. 1, 1924

The Congregational Church school will hold its summer picnic tomorrow at the Alhambra Park, where pool, playground, and other attractions are to be found. Parents are especially invited to attend.

J. Milton Steinberger of Sierra Madre Garage is one of the busiest men in town when it comes to constant changes for improvement and convenience at the garage. The latest improvement is a side door on the Windsor Lane frontage.

There will be a called meeting of the Sierra Madre Campfire Girls Monday, Aug. 4 at 10 a.m. in the Community House.

15 YEARS AGO

July 27, 1934

The annual report of the Sierra Madre Volunteer Fire Department submitted to the Council Wednesday evening shows a remarkable record, probably unmatched by any city of equal area and population in America. The per capita cost of maintaining the highly-efficient organization was 76 cents.

A community dance will be held next Wednesday, Aug. 1, at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Temple, 33 E. Central avenue.

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China Films and Pot Luck

Rev. Bob Hamond will be at the Nazarene Church on Family Night, Friday (August 5) to show films he took while with the Penell Mission in Hong Kong, China.

Pot-luck supper will be served at 6:30 p.m., and the pictures will be shown later in the evening.

Tellez-Robles Wedding Planned

Invitations will be sent out this week bidding friends to the wedding of Anna Marie Tellez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Heradio O. Tellez of 638 West Sierra Madre Blvd. and Luis G. Robles Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Robles of Los Angeles.

The nuptials will take place at St. Rita Church, 9:30 Sunday morning, August 14.

Miss Tellez, sister of Mrs. Manuel de la Torre of this city, is a graduate of the Los Angeles Catholic Girls High School. Mr. Robles Jr., graduated from Cathedral High and served with the Army during the war.

HAHN IN OREGON

C. Jacques Hahn of 343 North Grove, is enjoying an extended holiday in Oregon. He plans to return around the first of August.

OLD ADOBE SCENE OF SOCIAL EVENING

Thirty-one guests were entertained Monday evening at the Old Adobe when Isabelle Cullum, Mary Ann Dawson and Mellie Solary gave a stork shower honoring Mrs. Charles Cullum. The favors, refreshments and decorations were all in pink and white.

DAUGHTER VISITS FATHER

Mr. and Mrs. William McAllister and daughters, Pamela and Leslie of Detroit, Michigan, returned home Monday after a visit of two weeks with Mrs. Emily G. Crockett and her brother, H. L. Gould of 137 East Sierra Madre Blvd. Mrs. McAllister is the daughter of Mr. Gould.

CANDY IS THREE

Because the Kenneth Bush family is leaving soon on their vacation, their daughter, Candy, prematurely celebrated her third birthday, Sunday afternoon.

Family members present were Dr. E. D. Gaylord of Claremont, father of Mrs. Bush; Mrs. A. M. Farley of Arcadia, aunt of Mr. Bush, and Mr. and Mrs. Bettercourt of this city.

The Bush family of 633 West Sierra Madre Blvd., leave Sunday for a month's vacation at Green Valley Lake, between Big Bear and Arrowhead.

AMONG THE TREES

Miss Amy Scoville of the East is a guest at Vannier's "House in the Orange Grove." She is the cousin of Alvin Eastman, who was recently installed as Curator of the Pasadena Art Museum.

CHICAGO VISITOR

James Fulwider has returned to his home in Chicago, Ill., following a three week visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Filwider of Bella Vista Terrace.

HOME FROM DELIGHTFUL NORTHERN TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Perloff and sons have returned from an 18 day trip including Yellowstone, Bryce and Estes Parks, Salt Lake City, Seattle and Victoria, British Columbia.

The Perloffs were much impressed by the cleanliness and charm of Salt Lake City with Seattle coming next in their choice.

YOSEMITE VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Evans returned Tuesday from a 16-day vacation at Yosemite and Bass Lake. They reside at 397 West Montecito.

MOVE TO LOS ANGELES

Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Lee of 465 East Montecito, are moving soon to Los Angeles. They were formerly from Fairhope, Alabama.

The Lees have sold their home to Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell of Los Angeles.

June Wedding Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Blood of Brookside Lane announce the marriage of their daughter, Patricia, to Harry S. Dalton, Jr. The young people surprised their friends by a wedding at Las Vegas June 30th.

Mrs. Dalton attended Pasadena City College and Mr. Dalton resides at 90 East Sierra Madre Blvd., coming here from Alexandria, Virginia two years ago. He is an architect in the building business. The couple plan to make their home in Sierra Madre.

COCHRAN'S MOVE

This week Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cochran of 180 North Mountain Trail, moved to Pasadena. They have lived in Sierra Madre for the past two years. Mr. Cochran is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Cochran of East Sierra Madre Blvd.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Mariotti of this city plan to move into the Cochran's former residence soon.

PASTOR AND FAMILY TRAVEL

Rev. and Mrs. Orian Burlison and daughter, Lois of West Sierra Madre Blvd., returned Sunday from a two weeks vacation in Washington and Oregon.

Rev. Burlison is pastor of the Nazarene Church.

CAPITOL CAPITAL VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Al W. Miller of 550 North Hermosa, returned recently from a two week business-pleasure trip to Sacramento. During their absence their home was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Craig McLaughlin of Altadena.

RETURNS FROM MID-WEST

F. B. Hollister returned last Tuesday to his home at 273 E. Alegria, following a seven-week visit of the middle-west.

SAN CLEMENTE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ward chaperoned a beach party for four boys Saturday at San Clemente, celebrating the seventh birthday of their son, Peter Jr. The guests were Bobbie and Johnnie Myers, Chris and Jeff Mecca.

TAHOE VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ifrig are leaving Saturday for a week's trip which will include a stop at Lake Tahoe. Mrs. Ifrig, who owns the Canyon Beauty Shop, is closing her shop for the week.

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO. 488
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE, CALIFORNIA, FIXING AND ESTABLISHING THE NAME OF A CERTAIN PUBLIC STREET IN SAID CITY, TO-WIT: PARK AVENUE.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:
SECTION 1. That the name of that certain public street in the City of Sierra Madre, to-wit, the street running in a general northerly and southerly direction from Orange Grove Avenue to Sierra Madre Boulevard, and lying between Sunnyside Avenue and Lima Street, heretofore called Palm Avenue or Palm Court, be and the same is hereby fixed and established as Park Avenue.

SECTION 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this Ordinance, and shall cause the same to be published once in the Sierra Madre News, a newspaper of general circulation, published and circulated in the City of Sierra Madre, and thirty days from and after the final passage thereof, the same shall take effect and be in force.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Ordinance was adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Sierra Madre, held 12th day of July, 1949, by the affirmative vote of at least three Councilmen, to-wit:

AYES: Councilmen Barter, Kinney, Nuetzel and Steinberger.
NOES: None.
ABSENT: Councilman Korsmeyer.

LAWRENCE B. BRAIN
City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre.
SIGNED and APPROVED this 12th day of July, 1949.
J. MILTON STEINBERGER
Mayor of the City of Sierra Madre.

ATTEST:
LAWRENCE B. BRAIN.
City Clerk.
Pub. 7-28-49.

HERE TILL OCTOBER

Mrs. Charles Winthrop of Wichita, Kansas, arrived by plane recently for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Genevieve Orr, and granddaughter, Sharon Orr, of 45 Lowell.

During her stay here until October, Mrs. Winthrop will also visit her granddaughter, Mrs. Louis Mariotti of this city, and her son, Jack Winthrop of San Diego, former member of the Sierra Madre Police.

Hamill's Meet Grandson

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney S. Hamill of 380 North Lima, returned recently from a week's vacation in Fort Worth, Texas.

They visited the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Ericson, and were especially glad to meet their new grandson, Sidney Ericson, born June 30.

TORRET AT TATES

Mrs. W. Torbet of San Francisco was a recent guest at the Paul Tate home, 350 North Lima. Mrs. Tate is a niece of Mrs. Torbet.

ENDS EL MONTE RUN

Don Miller ended a three-week appearance Sunday at Chet's Rendezvous in El Monte. The popular Sierra Madre entertainer lives at 29 Suffolk.

Saturday evening, Miller presented his "Pantomime Capers" act at the Sierra Madre Spanish Inn.

CATHOLIC BAPTISMS

Recent Baptisms at St. Rita's Catholic Church were those of Christina Cheri Maurin and Stephen James Garcia.

Tiny Miss Maurin (born June 3) was baptised by Fr. Scheibel, July 10. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Maurin of 585 Ramona.

Stephen James Garcia, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Garcia of 485 East Highland, was baptised by Fr. Finan, July 5.

One & Eighty

Two local men celebrated their birthdays Sunday afternoon—but there was 79 years difference in their ages. John William Tyree, 80, and John William Herber, 1, (unrelated) were honored with a party at the home of infant Herber's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Bowman of 138 West Sierra Madre Blvd.

Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John Tyree, Mr. and Mrs. Herber, Mrs. Ruth Innas and John Bowman.

ANNUAL SIERRA MADRE TREK

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Flanagan are making their annual visit with Mrs. Flanagan's sister, Mrs. Catherine Cameron of 105 South Hermosa. Mr. Flanagan went on a fishing trip last week when he flew with Emil Sturmthal to Seattle, and they went up in British Columbia for Kamloops Trout.

The Flanagans will return to their home at Tulsa, Okla., about the middle of September.

Cuttyhunk Summer

Charles Frederic Morse and friend, Rhoades Robertson, left by car Sunday for the East. They will spend the summer at Cuttyhunk and return late in October.

Mr. Morse, well known musician, recently moved into his new home on East Highland, which was designed by Mr. Robertson, professor of architecture at the University of Minnesota.

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16 Cousins Celebrate

A banquet dinner for 16 cousins of the W. P. Willimotts was held Saturday evening at the Willimotts home, 10 East Mira Monte.

With the exception of two, most of the cousins were from Los Angeles. The two from Kansas City, Mo., were Mrs. Charles E. Thayer, sister of Mrs. Willimotts, and Mrs. Roca Timmons. They arrived by air last week and plan to spend several weeks here.

ZAHAVA TO GIVE BOWL CONCERT

Zahava Edelsack, 25-year-old pianist and winner of the 1949 Hollywood Bowl contest, will play the Ravel Piano Concerto in the Bowl, Thursday evening, August 4.

Miss Edelsack, well known in Sierra Madre, has visited here many times at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hardin of West Laurel.

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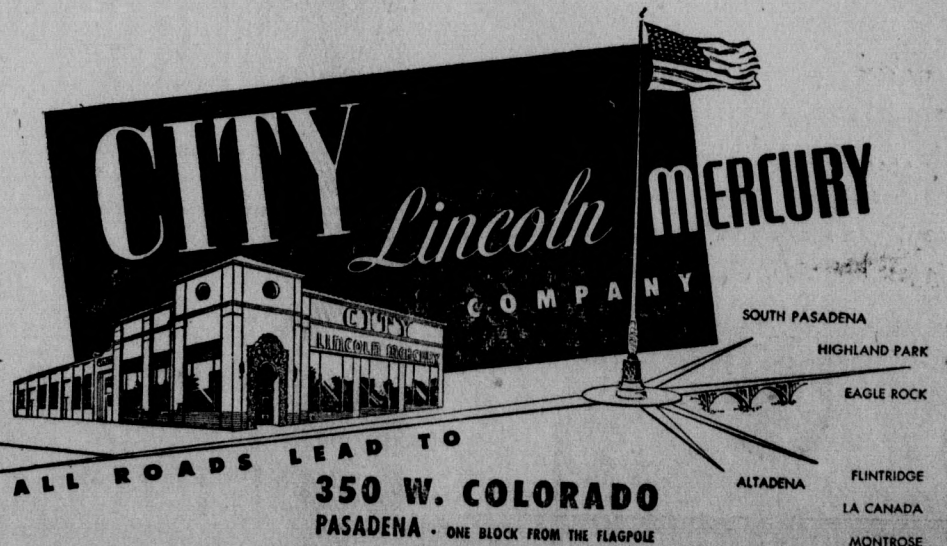
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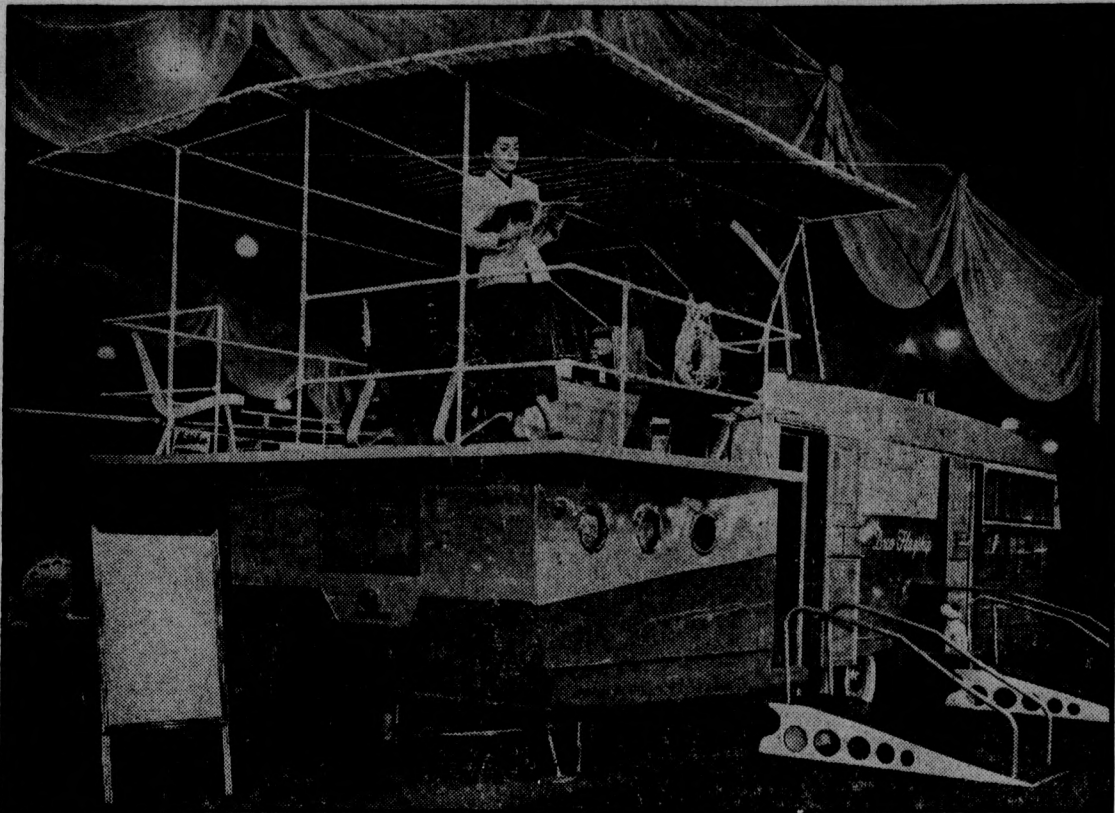
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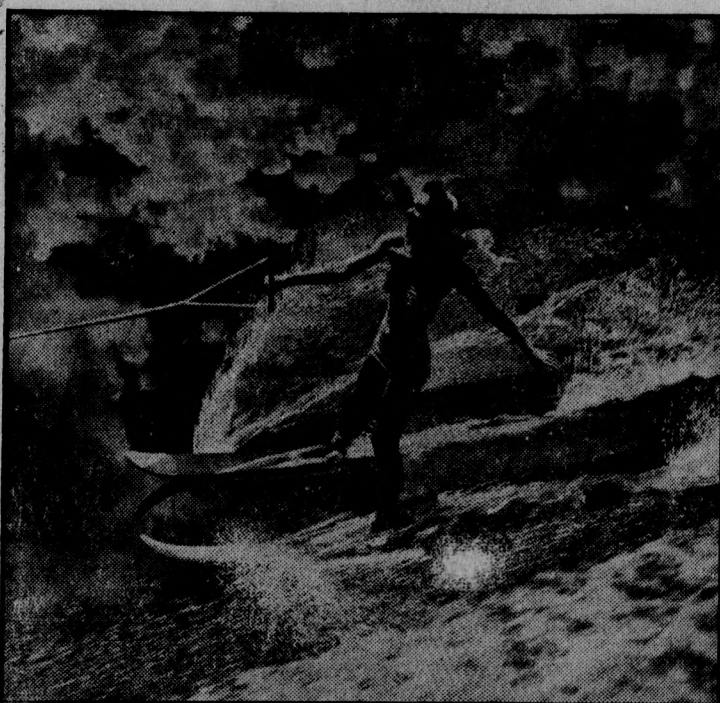
Americans can now take to the road carrying their own back porch. Model Jane Zuinn relaxes aboard the "flying bridge" on a 10- by 12-foot screened porch built on the back of a trailer. On display at the 13th International Trailer Show in Chicago, the trailer also features a private porch for the family dog, right.

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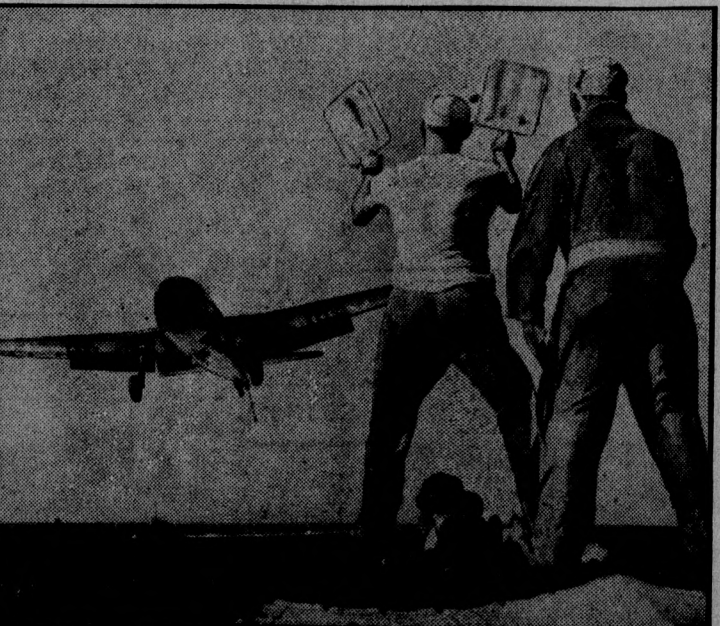


Sinbad, one of four new baby gorillas at Chicago's Lincoln Park Zoo, gets a thorough checkup from L. E. Fischer, left, and keeper Leroy Hoff. Sinbad weighed in at 20 pounds and was found to be in perfect health.

It's Done With Mirrors



Week-End Warrior Comes Aboard



A signal officer aboard the U. S. S. Cabot waves in a Helicat fighter plane piloted by a Naval Reserve officer, who flies only on week-ends and during annual vacations. The airman is a member of Naval Reserve Escort Carrier Group 71 on a two-week active duty cruise to Havana, Cuba.

Grows Carats



Carroll F. Chatham of San Francisco, above, grows his own carats. Since 1940, Chatham has been turning high-grade quartz crystals into marketable emerald carats. It's a long, arduous job, Chatham advises prospective emerald growers, and only six per cent of the stone crop is worth anything.

Inventor



Margaretta Harmon, 16, of Philadelphia, smiles over her successful electrostatic generator. She was one of two Philadelphia girls chosen as finalists in the annual science talent search conducted by Science Clubs of America.

Curvaceous Angler



Hard to say if Marcellyn Gulbransen will catch any fish with that outfit, but she'll certainly capture the eye. She's all decked out as "Miss Sportsman" in the Third Annual Northern California Sportsmen's and Vacation Show in San Francisco.

Lions Install C. Peterson

An audience of nearly 80 persons witnessed installation rites Thursday night for 1949-50 officers of the Lions Club.

Installed as president was Carl M. Peterson of 612 W. Montecito. He succeeds Lloyd B. Welch.

Peterson is the factory manager at Meridian Metalcraft Inc. of Whittier. He and his wife, Mrs. Ruth Peterson, have two sons, Albert, 10, and Jim, 15.

William G. Goss, past deputy district governor, who lives in Glendale, served as installing officer at the ceremonies which were held at the Women's Club House. A dinner preceded the evening program.

In accepting the presidency, Peterson said that the Sierra Madre Lions Club should seek a closer relationship with clubs of neighboring cities. He urged that this city's organization take a more active interest in the wide-scale Lions' program.

Special entertainment was provided by Actress Shirley Stoker, and Miss Jewel Kincer, accompanist. Master of Ceremonies for the evening was Ralph (Pappy) Welch, former president and last year's zone chairman.

Other officers installed were Al E. Morgan, first vice-president; Sterling T. Ripple, second vice-president; J. Baxter Jovanat Jr., third vice-president; Melburn S. Stine, secretary; Sidney S. Hamill, treasurer; Percy C. Kortkamp, lion tamer; Oscar Willumsen, tail-twister, and four directors; Harold E. Hamm, Harold Panghorn, William C. Goebel and Jerome C. Murray.

City Officials Visit Track

Seven Sierra Madre city officials attended last Thursday's horse racing program at Santa Anita, when the League of California Cities held its annual get-together at the track. No heavy winners were reported among our officials.

Sierra Madreans present included Councilmen Henry Korsemeier, William Kinney and Herman Barter; City Clerk Lawrence Brain, City Judge John Mead, Director of Public Works William Taye, and Fire Chief Jim Heasley.

A barbecue dinner at Arcadia Park followed the afternoon at the track.

TEACHERS SEEK UNITS FOR TRIPS

A request by the Sierra Madre Teachers' Club that units toward pay increases be granted teachers for traveling is being considered by Mrs. Francis S. Dane of the School Board and members of the teachers' group.

The request was introduced at a meeting of the School Board last week.

Mrs. Dane said that teachers, ordinarily, must attend summer school in order to be eligible for a pay increase. This request would permit teachers to obtain some of the necessary units by traveling during the summer.

She estimated that a maximum of three of the six required units might be granted teachers upon the completion of a "thoughtful trip" through either this country or abroad. An oral or written report to the School Board would determine whether the units could be granted.

McANDREWS AWAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McAndrews of 311 N. Auburn left Tuesday for a month's vacation trip to Oakland, Vancouver and Victoria, British Columbia.

Council Records Library Report

At Tuesday's meeting of the City Council, a financial statement from the Sierra Madre Public Library was received and filed.

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949, the library spent \$1681.21 for books, \$437.10 for periodicals, \$221.99 for binding, and \$110.60 for supplies.

Salaries for the year totaled \$6236. Of this amount, \$2772 was paid the librarian; \$1800 was paid the assistant librarian; \$1064 went to the page and extra help; and \$600 was paid for janitor service.

Total expenses reported by the library during the year amounted to \$9895.15.

CATALINA HOME

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stringfellow of 497 W. Grandview, are spending most of the summer at their Catalina Island home.

DINNER FOR SIX

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Beutler of 409 Ramona, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bush and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Betten-court of this city, at dinner last week.

HOUSEWARMING

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hansen, 24 Vista Circle Drive, presented a surprise housewarming party last week end for Mrs. Hansen's brother, F. M. Palmer, who, with his family, has just moved into his new house at 638 Brookside Lane.

STORKLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Danielson are the parents of a baby boy, born Sunday, July 24, at St. Luke's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bonani, former Sierra Madreans, now of Monrovia, became parents of a son, Michael Bonani, July 15 at St. Luke's Hospital.

FRIENDSHIP GROUPS HOSTED BY MRS. HAHN

The needle work division and musical group of the Sierra Madre Friendship Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Hahn, 343 North Grove next Wednesday, August 3rd. Mrs. J. E. Laguin is chairman of the music and Madam Babin of the needle work.

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QUICK VISIT

Mrs. A. F. Fish of 375 E. Montecito, reports enjoying the brief visit recently of her niece, Jane Drake of Constantine, Mich. Miss Drake, who is touring the country with three companions, made only a short stay in California.

ENTERTAIN AT BEAC HOME

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mackelroy of Phoenix, Arizona, arrived Saturday to spend several weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Byron Hopper. They will be entertained during their stay at the Hopper's Laguna Beach home.

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